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Mr. David Waddell
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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Re: Application of OptiLink Communications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Exchange, Intrastate Interexchange, and Alternate Operator Services in the State of Tennessee ("Application"); Docket No. 00-00134

Dear Mr. Waddell:

This letter is to request withdrawal of the CLEC application for OptiLink Communications, Inc. As a result of the withdrawal of this application, we understand that responses to the pending Information Requests are unnecessary.

An original and thirteen (13) copies of this letter are hereby filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority. Please return one stamped copy to us for our files in the envelope provided.

Thank you for your courtesy in dealing with OptiLink. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at 252-2302.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC



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